

Legion Auxiliary Plans Busy Year

Coming Year's Program To Be Discussed at Group Meeting Slated for September Second

Regular meetings will be resumed by the American Legion auxiliary Tuesday evening, September the second, in Legion hall, at which time convention reports will be heard and the coming year's program planned. The national convention in Milwaukee, September fifteenth to eighteenth, will close a year in which the auxiliary has served energetically and effectively for America. Great achievements have been made in every field of work. The regular program with a high degree of success and members have launched special work demanded by the emergency conditions. Mrs. Cora Konnie, retiring president and all those who worked with her are entitled to a great deal of credit for the manner in which they have handled the affairs of Klamath unit No. 8, it was observed.

The American Legion auxiliary's half million women have worked continuously and effectively for the security of America throughout the past year, according to Florence Henriot, national defense chairman of the local auxiliary unit. Reports being compiled at the auxiliary's national headquarters show vast and varied contribution to national defense by the auxiliary women.

Through nation-wide registration for voluntary emergency service, approximately one-fourth of the auxiliary's members have themselves volunteered for service. The type of work each member is able to do has been listed and lists have been supplied to Legion posts, Red Cross chapters, and civil authorities so that auxiliary volunteers can be called immediately in case of need. More than five thousand auxiliary members have taken Red Cross first aid training, while others have been trained as nurses, radio operators and ambulance drivers.

Rekindling America's patriotism and building better citizenship has been one of the auxiliary's major undertakings this year. Leola Heilbroner, Americanism chairman of the local unit, has directed this phase of the work here.

Auxiliary units sponsored four thousand and thirty-eight Girl Scout troops, three hundred and thirty-nine Campfire Girl groups and two hundred and four 4-H clubs, all of which helped teach Americanism to young Americans. Units presented seven thousand and eight flags to schools, Scout troops, churches and other organizations. The local unit also joined in the girls' states program which was conducted in twenty-four states, giving practical experience in governmental processes to approximately three thousand specially selected young women.

Twenty-two iron lungs have been purchased by auxiliary units this year for donation to hospitals in their communities. Lillian Otterbein, community service chairman of the local auxiliary unit has announced. One x-ray machine, three inhalators, two baby incubators, three fracture beds and two oxygen tents were also purchased for hospitals. In addition, two blood transfusion machines were sent to England, and two "Seeing Eye" dogs were purchased for blind persons. Mrs. Jennie Hurn has been hospital chairman for the local unit for a number of years, and will serve again this coming year.

Four hundred and fifty orphans of World War veterans have been assisted in securing higher education this year through loan funds of the American Legion auxiliary. New educational loan funds have been established by the auxiliary in a number of states and in others existing loan funds have been increased. Loans are made to qualified orphans of war veterans who otherwise would not be able to attend college. Effie Paul was in charge of child welfare work in the local unit last year and again he is in charge of the work this year.

With all previous membership records broken, the American Legion auxiliary's enrollment will approach five hundred and twenty-five thousand this year, according to Martha McCollum, last year's membership chairman of the local unit. Formation of new auxiliary units this year increased the number of units to nine thousand three hundred and ten, the largest in the history of the organization.

With the beginning of the new auxiliary year increased need for auxiliary service promises to come, calling for increased activity and membership to meet the auxiliary's responsibility to America. Mrs. Florence Henriot, president, cordially invites all members and eligible members to meet at Legion hall on September second to attend the first fall meeting, which will be both a business and social meeting.

Couple Wed At Corvallis

King - Duncan Nuptials Solemnized in Church On August 21

Miss Evelyn Lenora King, daughter of Mr. Charles W. King of 2325 Garden avenue of this city, became the bride of Mr. Ralph Williams Duncan of Burns, son of Mr. Robert Duncan, a prominent jurist and recent member of the Oregon Senate, at an Episcopal service solemnized by Father Gray in the Church of the Good Samaritan at Corvallis at high noon on August the twenty-fourth.

The ceremony was performed in a setting of pink gladioli and white asters, and tall tapers flamed in white candelabra. One solo, "Because", sung by a soloist of the Christian Science church, preceded the wedding march.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white French marquisette fashioned with a sweetheart neck, long sleeves and a train. A fingertip veil, trimmed with wide lace, fell from a tiara of orange blossoms. Regal white lilies formed her arm bouquet. The bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Johnson wore blue net and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Acting as best man to the bridegroom was his brother, Mr. Ivan Duncan, and the ushers were Mr. Charles Dusek and Mr. William King, brother of the bride.

A reception followed at the Alpha Xi Delta house where ten maids of honor in formal served the seventy guests. Mrs. Gatch Bolton presided over the punch bowl.

For a honeymoon trip along the coast to Vancouver, British Columbia, the bride chose a suit of RAF blue with brass buttons and black accessories.

Mrs. Duncan is a graduate of Oregon State college, class of 1940, and a member of Alpha Xi Delta sorority. She has been employed in the office of business administration at the college.

BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED ON MONDAY

The birthdays of Kenneth "Corky" Ellis, and his sister, Linda Anne, children of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ellis, were observed Monday at the family home, 1725 Lexington street. "Corky" was twelve years old on August the twenty-fifth, and Linda Anne was six on the eighteenth of this month.

The little girls played "dress-up" and dolls, and the young men enjoyed a movie after luncheon was served. Guests included Patsy Ruth Miller, Sheila Gillen, Geraldine Chapman, Helen Ellis, George and Robert Olson, Robert Pearson, Robert Loper, and Douglas and Merle Powers.



BIRTHDAY PARTY.

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—Kennell-Ellis.



OBSERVES BIRTHDAYS

Ronald, just two, and Peggy Jean, one-year, are children of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Clawson, 125 Hillside avenue, and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gilchrist of Grant street. Birthdays of the two were observed on Ronald's anniversary, August the twenty-first, when thirteen children were entertained at the Clawson home with the lawn party. Peggy Jean's birthday falls on August the eighth.

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Programs for Year Announced by DAR

Eulalona Chapter Plans Interesting Year as Nine Meetings Scheduled by Chairman

The programs for the coming year were distributed Monday evening when a special meeting of Eulalona chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held at the home of Mrs. B. C. Thomas. The program committee, Mrs. Robert O. Odell, Mrs. William J. Owsley, and Mrs. Vida Hanson, has planned an interesting series of meetings for the nine monthly programs of the chapter year.

September 8 Official visit of Mrs. Howard P. Arnest, state regent. No-host dinner, Pelican party room. Welcoming committee, past regents.

October 6 Symposium on Latin America, Mrs. William Owsley, coordinator, assisted by Mrs. Herschel Morris, Mrs. Earl Reynolds, Mrs. Bert C. Thomas, Mrs. S. R. Berry, Mrs. L. R. Mann, Miss Virginia West, Hostess, Mrs. E. D. Lamb. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. Thomas Hampton, Mrs. Robert Odell.

November 3 Conservation, Mrs. B. E. Hayden. Hostess, Mrs. Charles Joseph Martin. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. Wilbur A. Jones, Mrs. G. Logan Black, Miss Virginia West.

December 1 Christmas in Old Mexico, Mrs. Robert O. Odell. Hostess, Mrs. D. V. Kuykendall. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. William Dawson Foster, Mrs. Helen Mueller.

January 5 Early Oregon Gardens, Mrs. E. D. Lamb. Hostess, Mrs. R. E. Wattenburg. Assistant hostess, Mrs. H. A. Nitscheim, Mrs. B. W. Zollman.

February 2 Liberators and Heroes of South America, Mrs. Vida Hanson. Hostess, Mrs. Warren D. Hunt. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. Alfred Collier, Mrs. Earl Reynolds.

March 2 A Present Problem, Dr. Arthur S. Taylor. Hostess, Mrs. Elmer Balsiger. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. Bert C. Thomas.



Rose Bundy Weds in July

Vows Exchanged at Home of Bride's Sister July Twenty-Ninth

Miss Rose Bundy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bundy of this city, became the bride of Mr. William P. Ridgway, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Ridgway of Bradenton, Florida, in a ceremony read July the twenty-ninth at eight o'clock in the evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Palmer Gunderson.

The bride wore a gown of white satin fashioned with a snug bodice, long full sleeves, and a flowing train. Her veil of illusion net was caught by a wreath of rosebuds, and she carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds. A double strand of pearls was worn about the throat.

Miss Grace Bundy was her sister's maid of honor and she wore a blue taffeta frock made like that of the bride. Her corsage was of mixed summer blossoms. The bridesmaid was Miss Joyce Dollard who wore pale pink taffeta made with a brief jacket and long, full skirt. Her flowers were made into an old-fashioned bouquet.

Mr. Palmer Gunderson was best man.

Just before the ceremony, which was read by the Rev. Harold Persing, Miss Anita Evers sang, "O Promise Me", accompanied at the piano by Miss Katherine Ridgway who also played the wedding marches. Vows were exchanged before an improvised altar banked with salmon gladioli and baby breath and lighted by many white candles.

A reception followed the service and the bride cut a beautifully decorated three tier cake which was later served by Mrs. Gunderson.

The young couple left on a wedding trip which took them south for two weeks, where they visited in San Francisco and coast points. For traveling the bride wore a yellow frock and deep green jacket with a corsage. Mr. and Mrs. Ridgway are now at home at 2424 South Sixth street.

MISS M'DANIEL TO WED IN NEVADA

Miss Ada Marie McDaniel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McDaniel of 917 Oak street, will become the bride of Mr. Alden Sheridan of this city in a ceremony to be read in Reno, Nevada, early Sunday morning.

The young couple will be attended by the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McDaniel. Also attending the ceremony will be the bride's mother who plans to continue from Reno to Stockton, California, where she will reside.

Miss McDaniel is employed as office assistant to Dr. L. D. Gass, and Mr. Sheridan is with the Rice Motor company.

MRS. NEWCOM ENTERTAINS DAUGHTER

Mrs. C. E. Newcom of Altamont drive entertained Thursday afternoon at the Walter Hanson home with a lawn party for her young daughter, Jeannine, on the occasion of her seventh birthday.

The highlight of the afternoon was the beautifully decorated birthday cake lighted by the little honor guest.

Guests included Maria Hatter, Glorie Jean and Nadine Travis, Donald Griffin, Carolyn Newcom Shirley, and Neil Roberts, Ruby Clarey, Vera and Lavonne Roberts, Bonnie Marie Sparks, Lynn and Sharon Campbell, Marie and Marjorie Rodgers, Marcell Grover, Junior Low, Robert French, Zetta Birk, Nadine Hanson, Betty and Barbara Roberts, Janice Cameron, Mrs. Nettie Sparks, Mrs. Frank Cardoza, Mrs. Walter Hanson, and the hostess.

Hostess To Thimble Club

The Thimble club of Neighbors of Woodcraft met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ellen Ely on Nevada street when pinocle was in play at three tables after the business hour.

Mrs. Leland Conroy received high score, Mrs. Pat McManus, second high and Mrs. Ely, low. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. E. E. Smith. The next meeting is announced for September the ninth at the Ely home.

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Marlene Rae is the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stiles of 707 Addison street. She is also the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Snowden Egeline of 2202 Oregon avenue and Mr. and Mrs. George Stiles of Altamont. Her birthday was on August the twenty-eighth.

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EIGHTH BIRTHDAY OBSERVED AT AGENCY PARTY

Miss Veda Evelyn Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry I. Campbell of Agency lake, observed her eighth birthday on Wednesday, August the twentieth, with a lawn party. Games were enjoyed and balloon favors were presented to the guests.

Those invited to share the birthday cake included Alta Jean Campbell, Eugene Slaughter, Donna Mae St. Clair, Colleen and Billy Ray, Pat and Duane Myers, Inez and Elouise Skong, Betty Lou and Richard Strong, Ida Cassinella, Charles Knight Jr., and the little hostess, Mrs. Russell Slaughter assisted Mrs. Campbell during the afternoon.

TEA HONORS SISTERS ON DEPARTURE

Miss Lois Hare entertained Thursday, August the twenty-eighth, at the home of Mrs. V. M. Heseltine, 4826 South Sixth street, with a tea honoring Miss Dorothy and Rachel Gysber who are leaving for Tacoma, Washington to enter St. John's hospital as student nurses.

Present were Virginia Lindsey of Tulelake who attends school at Napa, California; Jean Drew of Hildebrand and Harriett Bruner of Olene, who plan to attend Southern Oregon College of Education; Jean Dixon of Bonanza, Ruth Gysber and the hostesses, Miss Hare and Mrs. Heseltine.

A meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America will be held Wednesday, September 3, in the IOOF hall with a potluck dinner at half past six o'clock for members and their families. A business meeting will follow. Members are asked to call Mrs. Martha Baker of Mrs. Jennie Arnold at 7259 in regard to the dinner menu.

Our Home Town

Labor Day By EARL WHITLOCK

This year, as never before in its history, the nation realizes its debt to Labor. The guns, the

planes, the ships, the tanks, are just lines on paper until the Laborer rolls up his sleeves, splits on his hands and by his skill and sweat, turns these vague blue-prints into the actual implements which America needs.

And Labor has responded splendidly to the great demands made upon it. Argue, if you will, that there are a certain percentage of crooks and self-seekers among Labor's leaders, who hamper the national defense effort hugely. So what? There are crooks in business, too, in the professions, in politics, in the judiciary. A few crooks, in any great body of men, merely shed a brighter light on the majority who are striving to do their work in the world earnestly and conscientiously and properly.



Next week, Mr. Whitlock of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home will comment on "For School Teachers."

Business Women Attend Conference

District Meeting Held at Albany With Representatives From Klamath Falls in Attendance

The first district conference of the Business and Professional Women's clubs was held at Albany, August the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth. Elenora Weatherford, local president, Dorothy Baile, second vice president, and Emma Carter, finance chairman were in attendance. There were about one hundred and fifty representatives of Oregon clubs present. Coquille took home the cup for the most membership miles, having eight members present and a total of 3200 miles. Portland came second with seventeen members on hand.

Albany provided a well rounded program for this first conference of the club year. A high light of the conference was the garden party at Romaine Acres Saturday evening. This is the home of the Albany club president, who acted as hostess. The open forum Sunday morning was held in the new county court house. Very interesting reports were being during this session by delegates who had attended the national convention in Los Angeles. The whole convention theme seemed to be a challenge to all women for cooperation for national defense and the preservation and development of democracy.

Group two of the Women's Council of the First Christian church met Thursday at the home of Mrs. S. D. Doremus, 2012 Orchard avenue. Mrs. Louis Cross, group leader, presided at the business meeting and devotionals were in charge of Mrs. R. H. Dunbar.

Mrs. C. S. Robertson and Mrs. Doremus sang "His Nail-Scarred Hand" as a duet number. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Mary Alexander.

Those present were Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. A. E. Baile, Mrs. Fred Peterson, Mrs. Goldine Slaus, Mrs. Ray Steers, Mrs. Louise Cross, Mrs. Leah Glubrecht, Elvera Duke and Karen Cross. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Fred Peterson on Summers lane, September the twenty-fifth, assisted by Mrs. Baile and Mrs. Ruth Campbell.

JOLLY EIGHTS PLAN FAREWELL FOR MRS. SHIELS

The Jolly Eight club met Monday afternoon, August the eighteenth, at the home of Jeanne Shields on Donald street. The hostess served a dainty lunch after which the afternoon was spent sewing.

Visitors were Mrs. Damon and Mrs. Harper. Members present were Mrs. Paul Keyes, Mrs. Jennie Grover, Mrs. Myrtle McCulloch, Mrs. Mary Ginsbach, Mrs. George Gwin, and Mrs. Lee Kennedy.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Keyes on North Ninth street Monday, September the first, when the members will honor Mrs. Jeannie Shields at a farewell party. Mrs. Shields, a charter member of the Jolly Eight club which has been organized for many years, is leaving for Yakima, Washington to make her home.

The Independent Study club will meet Thursday, September the fourth, at the home of Mrs. Nettie Good, 2040 Darrow avenue when a potluck luncheon will be served at one o'clock followed by the regular business meeting.

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